

FISCAL NOTE

HB 3362 - SB 3352

February 23, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires a public hearing before the Department of Children's Services may issue a license to operate or expand an independent living facility for children in, or at risk of being in, state custody. The bill also requires the Department of Children's Services to evaluate program effectiveness and places moratorium on issuing licenses for such new facilities until an evaluation is completed.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumes evaluation of programs can be done within existing staff and resources.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director